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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED MAY 15, 2009

Commissioner for Patents U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Customer Service Window, Mail Stop AF Randolph Building 401 Dulany Street Alexandria VA 22314

Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on May 15, 2009, which sets a three month shortened statutory period for response until August 15, 2009.

This response is being filed prior to the expiration of the three month shortened statutory period for response, and is being filed within two months of the mailing of the Final Office Action, whereby an extension of time should not be necessary to maintain the pendency of the application. However, if any extension of time is required to maintain the pendency of this application, including any extension of time for entry of an Examiner's Amendment, this is an express request for any required extension of time, and authorization to charge any required fee, including any required extension of time and/or claim fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

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 $\label{lem:Amendments} \textbf{Amendments to the Claims} \ \text{appear in the Listing of Claims beginning on page 3 of this paper.}$

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections of record are respectfully requested in view of the remarks presented herein.